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Applicant: MARKUS WIMMER ET AL.  
Serial No.: 09/873,290 Group Art Unit: 3663  
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DAMAGE

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

January 22, 2003

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision mailed October 23, 2002, of the Examiner rejecting claims 1, 2, 9, 19 and 20.

Applicant hereby submits the required filing fee of \$320.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(e).

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #951/49617).

Respectfully submitted,

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